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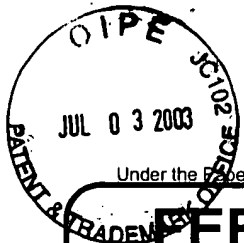
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1001 750	2001 375	Utility filing fee	
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	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	-20** = 0	X 18	= 0
Independent Claims	-3** = 0	X 84	= 0
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1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20	
1201 84	2201 42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
1203 280	2203 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
1204 84	2204 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
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1051 130		2051 65		Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
1052 50		2052 25		Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
1053 130		1053 130		Non-English specification
1812 2,520		1812 2,520		For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
1804 920*		1804 920*		Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
1805 1,840*		1805 1,840*		Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
1251 110		2251 55		Extension for reply within first month
1252 410		2252 205		Extension for reply within second month
1253 930		2253 465		Extension for reply within third month
1254 1,450		2254 725		Extension for reply within fourth month
1255 1,970		2255 985		Extension for reply within fifth month
1401 320		2401 160		Notice of Appeal
1402 320		2402 160		Filing a brief in support of an appeal
1403 280		2403 140		Request for oral hearing
1451 1,510		1451 1,510		Petition to institute a public use proceeding
1452 110		2452 55		Petition to revive - unavoidable
1453 1,300		2453 650		Petition to revive - unintentional
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1503 630		2503 315		Plant issue fee
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1810 750		2810 375		For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))
1801 750		2801 375		Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
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